

JURY'S VERDICT IS "NOT GUILTY"

Dr. W. S. Gregory Declared Innocent of Crime Attributed to Him.

CREATES LITTLE SURPRISE

Faithful Wife Overcome When Acquittal of Husband Is Announced.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ROANOKE, Va., November 17.—The jury in the case of Dr. W. S. Gregory, charged with attempting to criminally assault Miss Theodora Irvine, of New York, brought in a verdict of not guilty at 5:30 this afternoon.
Before the arrival of the jury in the courtroom Judge Woods warned the crowd that he wanted no demonstration, but when the announcement of "not guilty" was made, it was greeted by applause.
The faithful wife, who has stood by the side of her husband during his trial, burst into tears of joy, while his friends crowded up to congratulate him and his counsel.

WOULD REVOKE LICENSE.

Commonwealth's Attorney Tilton Seversely Scores Saloonist.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, Va., November 17.—In the Corporation Court today, before Judge Hancock, the Commonwealth's Attorney John G. Tilton, severely scoring S. F. King, a saloon-keeper, made a motion that his liquor license be revoked for open and patent violations of

the liquor laws of the State and city.
"It is something like digging at a handkerchief to catch old roxes new tricks," declared Mr. Tilton, "but the loss of cover or light license I have in mind will rid this town of some saloon keepers who not only will not do this, but don't want to do it. King is one of them. Under the facts I have to present to court, his license will not be worth anything in my opinion."

ARGUMENTS HEARD.

Further Steps Taken in Affairs of Public Service Corporation.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, Va., November 17.—In the Federal court today Judge Edmund Waddill heard arguments for the dissolution of an injunction restraining the Receiver, Walter Whitestone and C. H. Wilder from disposing of \$100,000 of the bonds of the public service corporation of Virginia, conducting a light and power plant at Hampton and Phoebus. The action also involves the removal of Receiver Whitestone, on Nelson's motion that he is interested, directly or indirectly, in the bonds alleged to be held.

A general denial of the allegation under which the injunction was secured by Mr. Whitestone that since his appointment as receiver he has come into possession of bonds of the company or that he is in any way interested in the affairs of the company, except for the best interests of all concerned, or the trust and receivership.

PLUNGES FIFTY FEET.

Swede Terribly Mangled by Fall from Pole in Suffolk.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
STAFFORD, Va., November 17.—Plunging about fifty feet from the bracket of a telegraph pole to the pavement, Peter Nelson, a Swede about twenty-eight years old, today had both arms, one leg and his nose broken and besides received internal injuries. Nelson was working with a wire formed about his body and the other end trailing the street. A passing carriage driven by Mrs. George Lloyd Barton, a young woman, had one of its wheels entangled in the wire and this snatched Nelson from his perch. Nelson was taken to Lakeside Sanatorium, where his condition is precarious.
Mrs. Barton was in no wise to blame for the accident.

All Were Satisfied.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, Va., November 17.—The hundreds of delegates and ministers to the Virginia Methodist Conference, who have been in the city for the past week, are to-day leaving for their respective homes. It is expected that the large majority will have gone by morning.
The general feeling among the delegates is that the conference was most helpful of recent years. General gratification is expressed over the fact that there was little division over the Randolph-Macon College controversy, and that the clergy and laity were so nearly unanimous in the action taken. The belief is expressed that the denomination and college trustees will get together and the matter be satisfactorily settled within the next six months.

Sussex Notes.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SUSSEX, Va., November 17.—Dr. W. Dunn and Misses Mary Frances Lowry and Ella Warren Goss spent several days last week at Sussex Courthouse with Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Slade on a hunting expedition.
J. M. Hamilton, of Newport News, has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. L. H. Hargrave, Jr., of Lynchburg, and his daughter, Mrs. Hughes, have been visiting Mr. R. F. Moss.

Your Opportunity is NOW! Place—HERE!

Our shop will show for this week three strong headlines—business getters.

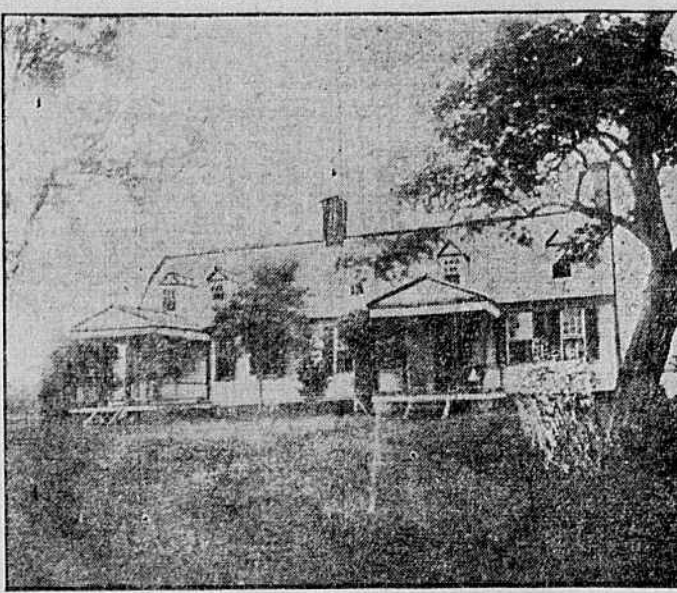
\$10
\$15 Suits or Overcoats
\$20

The \$10.00 grades are worth up to \$16.50
The \$15.00 grades are worth up to \$22.50
The \$20.00 grades are worth up to \$30.00

A word to the wise—Come!

Jacobs & Levy.

HOME OF FOUR GENERATIONS



Bel Air, the Wilcox Home.

Yesterday at Bel Air, the Wilcox family, where they have lived for four generations, spent their entire married life. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Wilcox, Miss Mary A. Wilcox, and Master Charles Wilcox, of Norfolk; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Strachan, of Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hewitt, of New York; and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wilcox, of New York, were present.

Among the guests were Judge City county home, where they have lived for four generations, spent their entire married life. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Wilcox, Miss Mary A. Wilcox, and Master Charles Wilcox, of Norfolk; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Strachan, of Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hewitt, of New York; and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wilcox, of New York, were present.

News of Petersburg

Times-Dispatch Bureau,
159 West Sycamore Street,
Petersburg, Va.

The suit of Mr. G. R. Turner against Mr. C. T. Meacham and the Chesterfield Manufacturing Company for \$10,000 damages for alleged illegal arrest and false imprisonment, was set for trial in the Hastings Court, in this city, to-day, but on account of the inability of the plaintiff to be present, was continued until to-morrow for trial. Mr. Turner, it is stated, was arrested in this city over a year ago on a warrant sworn out by Mr. Meacham, of the Chesterfield Manufacturing Company, charging him with employing laborers to be taken out of the State, without having a license to do so. At the trial of Mr. Turner he was acquitted, and he brings suit for damages. Messrs. William B. McIlwaine and Charles E. Plummer are counsel for the plaintiff, and Messrs. Davis & Pettit for the defendants.

Impressive Military Funeral.

The funeral of the late Major Ashleigh B. Moody took place this afternoon from the Tabb Street Presbyterian Church. The services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. J. S. Foster, and the church was filled by representative people of Petersburg, assembled to pay their respect and esteem for the deceased. The members of the Board of Aldermen and Common Council were present in a body; representatives of the various departments of the municipal government attended, as did also delegations of the Orders of Knights of Pythias, Eagles, American Mechanics and Royal Arcanum, of which he was a member. Petersburg Company, No. 16, Uniform Rank of Knights of Pythias, of which Major Moody was a member and a former captain, attended the funeral with full ranks and the members in full uniform.

An impressive feature of the funeral was its military character, and in this respect the Second Regiment of Virginia Volunteers was well represented and took an active part. Colonel R. F. Leedy and other regimental officers were present, and in the line of escort to the cemetery, with their arms reversed, were Company F Captain Davant, of Roanoke, forty-five strong, and Company G (the Petersburg Grays), Captain Harrison, and the military branch of the Knights of Pythias, all in full dress. Each company was headed by a band of music. At the graves the funeral rites were performed, the gallant soldier and son of Virginia laid to rest, and a salute fired.

The active pall-bearers were non-commissioned officers of the Petersburg and Roanoke companies. Among those present from Richmond were Adjutant-General Anderson, Major Bowles and Lieutenant Glazebrook, Boschen and McDowell.

Following appointments for the Petersburg District were made at the Methodist Conference in Norfolk: J. C. Reed, presiding elder, Petersburg; Washington Street; Bowman, High Street; J. T. Joffitt; Wesley, J. O. Babcock; Blanford and City Point, C. W. Turner; West Street, S. J. Battin; Bricks, W. T. A. Haynes; Matocah, H. C. Gregory; Prince George, C. E. Watts; Surry, R. B. Blankenship; Sussex, J. B. Askew; Wakefield, N. B. Foushee; Emporia, E. G. Davis; Greensville, J. W. Heckman; Lawrenceville, R. H. Marks; Brunswick, C. E. Johnson; South Brunswick, J. T. Payne; West Brunswick, L. C. Moore; Dinwiddie, Edg. Marshall, Mich.

committed suicide at the Stratford Hotel on Sunday, was shipped to-day to his home in Racine, Wis. A brother of the deceased, Mr. John D. James, arrived here this morning to take charge of the body, and pending its removal, prepared and ready, was not delayed in taking it away. Representatives of the Virginia Division of Locomotive Engineers came over from Manchester to superintend the removal.

Albert Hardaway, the negro who broke into and robbed the express office at DeWitt several nights ago, was taken out to the Dinwiddie jail yesterday, where he will be kept to await trial. It is said there are other charges of robbery against the negro.

Mrs. Adelaide E. Williams, aged seventy-four years, widow of Edward Williams, died yesterday at the residence of her nephew, Mr. John Clary, after a few days' illness.

The ladies of the Petersburg Hospital will observe Saturday, November 28th, as "Rubber Day," for the benefit of the hospital.

Mr. Charles Abell, one of the owners of the Baltimore Sun, and Mr. John T. Pleasant, of the editorial staff of that paper, are visiting in Petersburg.

TWO KILLED BY TRAINS.

Death of One Resulted Indirectly in Fatal Injury to Child.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
DANVILLE, Va., November 17.—While crossing the Southern Railway track near the city last night and today, two men were killed by trains. John Holt, a negro workman, while returning to his home near the city last night, was killed, and his mangled body found beside the track to-day.

W. J. Hale, aged fifty-two years, was killed this morning while en route to his work in the cotton mills. He was riding a freight train at a crossing, only to run into a passenger train. Hale came to Danville about two years ago from near Roanoke. He leaves a wife and eight children.

A sister of the negro killed rushed to the scene when she learned of his death, and when she returned home a few minutes later she found her three-year-old baby in flames. The child was fatally burned.

VIGOROUS CAMPAIGN.

Many Voters Still Registering for Local Option Election.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, Va., November 17.—Although a doubt is expressed as to the ability of such voters to participate in the local option election on December 5th, quite a number of persons are registering daily. This is not confined to the white voters, for many negroes are registering.

Both sides appear to be confident as to victory, and both sides are waging an active campaign. The "dry" element is on a still hunt, and is holding numerous meetings, but the "wet" element is conducting a gum shoe campaign. The Anti-Saloon League is organizing the women, who will work and other women to bring their influence to bear upon voters in their homes. This campaign will be so systematic that there is hardly a woman in the city who will not feel the touch of this organization.

The fight is going to be close, and to-day it is impossible to form an idea as to the result.

CONTRACT IS AWARDED.

New York Company Will Make Repairs to Bridge.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, Va., November 17.—The Oswego Bridge Company, of New York, has been awarded the contract for the strengthening of the Riverton viaduct, an immense structure which carries the Riverton section to the old portion of the city, and the work is to be started as early as the materials can be assembled. The contract will cost about \$25,000, of which the Traction and Light Company will pay about \$5,000, as the work is to be done to strengthen for the heavier cars the company is operating now.

The viaduct was built by the Riverton Company in the "boom" days of Virginia, and it affords an avenue for at least 1,000 people over one of the deepest ravines here into the business section.

Monuments for Battlefield.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SPOTSVYLVANIA, Va., November 17.—The foundation of a monument to be erected on Salem Church battlefield, commemorative of the valor and heroism of the Fifteenth Regiment, New Jersey Volunteers, who lost heavily in the battle fought there in May, 1863, is now being laid, and the work is being supervised by Colonel A. W. Whitehead, a commissioner of the State of New Jersey. This monument will be erected on a hillside, and will be thirty-two feet high and will weigh thirty-seven tons. It will be unveiled in May, 1909, and in the same month another monument will be unveiled at "Bloody Angle" on the Spotsylvania Courthouse battlefield to the memory of the dead of the same regiment, who gave up their lives on this field on May 12, 1864.

Doctors in Session.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
DANVILLE, Va., November 17.—The South Piedmont Medical Society convened here to-day, with a good-sized attendance. The opening session was presided over by Dr. G. W. Cooke, in place of the president, Dr. H. M. McVine, of Houston. Many interesting papers were read, the principal topic under discussion being tuberculosis. A public address was delivered to-day on this disease by Dr. Freeman, of Richmond, the lecture being illustrated with stereopticon views.

Belong Notes.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BELLEVILLE, Va., November 17.—Mr. R. C. Tritton and a number of friends have returned to Richmond, after spending several days hunting.

Dr. M. B. Rudd and Dr. C. H. Rudd, of Richmond, are here with guns and dogs.

Mr. C. B. Walthall is visiting friends in Lynchburg.

Mr. R. G. Carter is attending the Baptist convention in Richmond. Miss Birtie May Baugh, who has been ill at Red Hill, Va., is improving. Maxell Grundy is the guest of Mr. J. T. Thomas on a hunting trip.

Cannot Identify Him.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, November 17.—Efforts are being made in Norfolk to locate the family of one Herbert Wells, who committed suicide recently in the Bingham Hotel, Philadelphia. It is said he was a resident of the city or vicinity. So far the local police have failed to identify the man or secure any information that would lead to his identification.

Want Convict Labor.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BOYDTON, Va., November 17.—The board of supervisors of Mecklenburg, at the meeting here to-day, directed that application be made to the State authorities for convict labor to be used for the permanent improvement of the Chase City and Clarksville District public roads. It will be remembered that these two districts have recently issued bonds for the building of macadamized roads in their districts.

Building Is Destroyed.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDERICKSBURG, Va., November 17.—Fire broke out this morning at 5 o'clock in Green Bros.' Kenmore shoe factory, on the corner of the city known as the fire started. The building was entirely destroyed, including the machinery. Some of the stock was saved, but the loss was heavy. The loss was estimated at \$25,000. The insurance is \$37,425.

California Limited

The only train between Chicago and Southern California, via any line, exclusively for first-class travel.

Your family travels in pleasant company.

The California Limited, with its new equipment, runs daily, Chicago, San Diego and Los Angeles. It carries Fred Harvey dining car, observation sleeping, Pullman, observation sleeping, with ladies' parlor, and a club car. Has a through sleeper to Grand Canyon of Arizona.

In California every day is a June day.

De luxe booklet of train and trip on request. Write or see Geo. C. Dillard, General Agent, 377 Broadway, New York City.

WATCHMAN'S BODY FOUND IN RIVER

C. & O. Employee Murdered and Thrown Over Fifteen-Foot Wall.

ROBBERY ALLEGED MOTIVE

Crime Committed Soon After Passing of the Company's Pay Train.

ALL I ASK IS THAT YOU TRY IT

RHEUMATEUR FOR RHEUMATISM

No matter what you have tried, or how much you suffer, don't lose a day—get a bottle of RHEUMATEUR at once. He will cure you.

At all druggists or Phone 523. (C)

Try No. 4

COLD AND GRIPPE CURE.

Cures Cold, Grippe, Neuralgia, Headache. At all drug stores. 25c.

WHAT YOU DRINK?

KIWASSA GINGER ALE

If you insist on having the best.

At all dealers, or phone 3745.

What's a Baby?

THE CRAFTS PIANO CO.

214-216 North Fifth Street.

SICK HEADACHE

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Heartily Eating. A perfect remedy for Bile, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature. REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

was purchased by the Germania Mills, of this city, which has also just received 1,000 bushels from a thrifty farmer down the Rappahannock River at \$1 per bushel.

The Christmas "Treat."

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, Va., November 17.—The Lynchburg Lodge of Elks is raising funds for the annual treat to be given during the Christmas holidays to the poor of the city. The funds are being raised by Mr. Al Orth, the well-known baseball player, who will secure enough from the Elks to send out several hundred Christmas dinners, in addition to a "treat" for 300 or 400 children at the Elks' Home.

Working on Line.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SPOTSVYLVANIA, Va., November 17.—The Fredericksburg, Wilderness and Orange Telephone Company has commenced the building of its line, and it will be rapidly pushed to completion. When it is finished it is thought that the line will be extended to Culpeper or Orange, probably to both.

May Build New Jail.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SPOTSVYLVANIA, Va., November 17.—The board of supervisors of the county will, on the recommendation of the grand jury, take into consideration at the meeting to be held on November 26th the building of a new County Jail.

Craighill Promoted.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, Va., November 17.—R. E. Craighill, stamp clerk at the local post-office, has been promoted to the cashiership to fill the vacancy caused by the sudden death of General J. Holmes Smith. The appointee is the lieutenant-colonel of the First Virginia Regiment.

For Highway Robbery.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BOYDTON, Va., November 17.—Julian Birtford, a young white man from near South Hill, was brought here this morning and placed in jail, charged with attempted highway robbery. Young Birtford was arrested in Warren-ton, N. C.

Election for Roanoke.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ROANOKE, Va., November 17.—At the meeting of the Anti-Saloon League to-night it was announced that a sufficient number of names had been secured to call for a local option election, and application will probably be made to Judge Woods to-morrow to order an election December 21st.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Charles H. Fletcher*

HARDEN'S PRO-PYCTOL CLEANS TEETH

Dining-Room Tables

| | | |
|--|-------|---------|
| \$12.00 Tables | | \$9.75 |
| \$15.00 Tables | | \$11.25 |
| \$18.00 Tables | | \$13.50 |
| \$20.00 Quartered Oak Pedestal Tables | | \$14.75 |
| \$25.00 Quartered Oak Claw-foot Tables | | \$17.85 |
| \$30.00 Tables | | \$22.50 |
| \$35.00 Tables | | \$26.75 |
| \$40.00 Tables | | \$30.00 |
| \$50.00 Tables | | \$37.50 |

Every Dining-Room Table at a special price.

Hopkins Furniture Co.,
Cash or Credit. 7 and 9 W. Broad St.

Scott's Emulsion

does all it does by virtue of one thing—Power—its power to create power.

As fire turns water to steam so Scott's Emulsion transforms thin, impure blood into pure, rich blood, giving nourishment and vital energy to every organ, every tissue and every muscle.

Send this advertisement, together with name of paper in which it appears, your address and four cents to cover postage, and we will send you a "Complete Handy Atlas of the World."

SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York

The GREATEST SUCCESS EVER PUT on the MARKET

PATTERSON'S Tuxedo TOBACCO

SPECIALLY PREPARED FOR PIPE & CIGARETTE

THE NAME PATTERSON ON TOBACCO STANDS FOR QUALITY

A HELP TO THE HOUSEWIFE

DUNLOP FLOUR

It is easy to make light, delicious bread with DUNLOP FLOUR. That's why housewives "who know" order it exclusively. And oh! the tasty griddle cakes and muffins it makes. Order it TO-DAY from your grocer.

Jewelry to Turn the Heart

Is shown in our new assortment of dainty things for this season. Ornaments for the hair, neck and waist, are here in profusion. Combs, Hair Pins, Veil Pins, Stick Pins and Belt Buckles, in these designs and exquisite workmanship. Silver Mesh Bags and Card Cases in all of the latest designs and shapes.

B. Buchanan & Son

111 East Broad Street.